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1. Aircraft Count

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Four MIG 15/17s without auxiliary wing tanks. The hangar doors remained closed on both days of observation.

2. Aircraft Details

a. Markings: The four aircraft had an overall silver/grey finish with a red Soviet star on the fuselage

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b. Disparals: The four planes were parked on an apron before the hangar in the northwest corner of the airfield and appeared to be undergoing inspection or repair. No other aircraft whatsoever were visible anywhere on the airfield.

3. Flying Activity

On both days of observation no flying whatsoever took place at this airfield. there had been no flying from this airfield since the end of August.

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4. Personnel

The airfield appeared to be more lightly manned than on previous spot-checks and, of the personnel observed, only 20% were airforce personnel. The remainder wore Soviet Naval uniforms. these naval airforce personnel have been freely visiting the local towns of Ribnitz and Damgarten since late August.

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5. Radio Radar

The following radio/radar installations were observed on both days of observation:

- 1) No VHF Disc Cones or associated radio vans were visible on the airfield.

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- 2) A new Kniferest had been set up at MR 342 153. This equipment was not observed operating and appeared to be unmanned.
- 3) The Token located at MR 332 154 was not in operation.
- 4) The Token located at MR 317 125 was in operation on both days (observed between 1100 and 1300 hours) on both 5 and 6 September.
- 5) A single Fishnet was located at MR 335 153.
- 6) The previously reported Yagi ~~surmounting~~ an eight meter high mast at MR 336 154 had been removed.
- 7) The Adcock/DF site was located at MR 365 168.
- 8) Two single-masted MF beacons were located at MRs 352 165 and 365 162.
- 9) A Marker Beacon transmitter consisting of a single horizontal dipole three meters in length mounted on a wooden trestle was located at MR 354 165.

1. Comment: All map references are taken from Germany 1 : 25000 AMS series M 841 3rd edition sheet no. 1740.

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